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Bingo Bulletin

To: Bingo Licensees

From: Missouri Gaming Commission, Bingo Division

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This bulletin contains a new insert for your bingo statute and regulation booklet.

A new policy has been adopted to allow bingo funds to be used for up to two members to attend up to three bingo related conventions per calendar year. Different members may attend different conferences, but only two may be funded per conference and no more than three, bingo related conferences, may be funded per year.

Please insert the enclosed policy, number 17, at the back of the Policy section of your statute/regulation booklet.

Also, the Policy Index was revised to include the new policy, therefore, please remove the last page of the index section and replace it with the enclosed Policy Index page.

We have also enclosed a new address and telephone page, which has been updated to include our toll free number. Please replace the address page in your statute/regulation booklet with the enclosed address page.

The bingo statutes and regulations are available on our WEB page at www.mgc.state.mo.us.

Criminal Activities - The Gaming Commission will take immediate action to revoke the bingo license of any organization found to be involved in any form of criminal activity. While illegal gambling may be the most common type of criminal activity found to date, we will not permit bingo and criminal conduct to coexist.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact our office at the Missouri Gaming Commission, Bingo Division, PO Box 1847, Jefferson City, MO 65102, or telephone 573-526-5370 or toll free in Missouri at 1-866-801-8643.

Enclosures